

NOTES ON NEW AND NOTEWORTHY PLANTS. CLIX

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*CARYOPTERIS CHOSENENSIS* Mold., nom. nov.

*Clerodendron divaricatum* Sieb. & Zucc., Abhandl. Akad. Wiss. Muench. Math.-Phys. 4 (3): 154. 1846 [not *Clerodendrum divaricatum* Jack, Malay. Misc., imp. 1, 15--17 & 48--49. 1820].

*SYNGONANTHUS COWANI* var. *INVOLUCRATUS* Mold., var. nov.

Haec varietas a forma typica speciei foliis supremis numerosis anguste linearibus 12--15 mm. longis involucrantiformibus recedit.

This variety differs from the typical form of the species in having the uppermost whorl of stem leaves narrowly linear, 12--15 mm. long, forming an involucre beneath the terminal umbel of very short-pedunculate heads.

The type of the variety was collected by Otto Huber (no. 4844) on the savannas about 30 km. west of Serrania El Tigre, in the region of the upper Caffo Yagua, Depto. Atabapo, Amazonas, Venezuela, 3°51' N. Lat., 66°27' W. Long., at about 130 m. altitude, on February 29, 1980, and is deposited in the Lundell Herbarium at the University of Texas, Austin. The collector describes the plant as "Hierba diminuta, hasta 5--8 cm de alto, frecuente en los canales de drenaje secos. Cabezuelas blancas."

*SYNGONANTHUS DUIDAE* var. *LONGIFOLIUS* Mold., var. nov.

Haec varietas a forma typica speciei foliis 3--4 cm. longis recedit.

This variety differs from the typical form of the species in having its leaves 3--4 cm. long.

The type of the variety was collected by T. Koyama and G. Agostini (no. 7515) in wet shallow soil and moss on rocks along the margin of Rio Pulpul, growing with sedges, local and infrequent, above Salto Pulpul at the southern foot of the peaks of Uaipuntepui, at 1200 m. altitude, Bolívar, Venezuela, on March 6, 1967, and is deposited in the Britton Herbarium at the New York Botanical Garden.

*SYNGONANTHUS XERANTHEMOIDES* var. *ANGUSTIFOLIUS* Mold., var. nov.

Haec varietas a forma typica speciei foliis anguste linearibus ca. 1 mm. latis recedit.

This variety differs from the typical form of the species in having its firmly rigid leaves narrowly linear and only about 1 mm. wide.

The type of the variety was collected by Otto Huber (no. 5112) on the savanna about 2--3 km. southeast of the lower Rio Guasacavi, 3°08' N. Lat., 67°30' E. Long., at an altitude of 90 m., Amazonas, Venezuela, on March 10, 1980, and is deposited in the Lundell Herbarium at the University of Texas. The collector notes that it was "Muy frecuente en toda la sabana; cabezuelas blancas."